



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: James M. Derderian

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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Election of Species Requirement mailed on December 30, 2003, the initial period for response to which expires on January 30, 2004.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Corrections to the Drawings are explained on page 7 of this paper; and Remarks start at page 8 of this paper.